IN THE ABSTRACT

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The present invention offers There is provided a compact, lightweight, inexpensive head/disk test device. The spin stand of the present invention is a spin stand is provided that supports a magnetic head to enable attaching and removal and comprises a hydrodynamic fluid dynamic bearing motor that continues rotating even when the magnetic head is attached or removed. The Alternatively, the spin stand of the present invention comprises a hydrodynamic fluid dynamic bearing motor and means a detector for detecting changes in the reverse back electromotive force or changes in the magnetic flux density generated by the rotation of the hydrodynamic fluid dynamic bearing motor and for generating an index signal. Furthermore, the spin stand of the present invention is a spin stand is provided with a hydrodynamic fluid dynamic bearing motor and encloses a conductive fluid in a bearing of the hydrodynamic fluid dynamic bearing motor and the bearing is grounded. The head/disk test device of the present invention comprises any one of the spin stands described above.